Mountain Weather Forecast

Southwest Highlands

Including Ben Nevis, Glen Coe and the rest of Lochaber, Argyll including the Isles, Loch Lomond, Trossachs and Arran

Forecast valid from 06:00 on Wednesday 25 Aug 2021 until 23:59 on Thursday 26 Aug 2021

Forecast Issued on Wednesday 25 Aug 2021 at 02:42 by Met Office Aberdeen

Confidence: Generally high. Moderate for amounts of cloud, particularly across the north.

Headline for Wednesday 25 Aug 2021: Dry warm and sunny.

Mountain weather hazards on Wednesday 25 Aug 2021

Blizzards
No Likelihood

Heavy Snow
No Likelihood

Storm force winds
No Likelihood

Gales
No Likelihood

Severe chill effect
No Likelihood

Poor visibility
No Likelihood

Thunderstorms
No Likelihood

Heavy persistent rain
No Likelihood

Strong sunlight
High Likelihood

Weather and chance of precipitation at 800m					
Time					
06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00
Sunny	Sunny	Sunny	Sunny	Sunny	Clear night
Precipitation probability					
00%	00%	00%	00%	00%	00%

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Weather: Any early mist or patchy low cloud in valleys soon clearing on a warm dry and sunny day. Clear skies continuing through the evening.

Chance of cloud free mountain/hill tops above 800m: 100%

Visibility: Very good for most with little or no cloud.

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Height (m)	Wind Speed mean/gusts (mph) Wind Direction (blowing from)						
	06:00	09:00	12:00	15:00	18:00	21:00	00:00
1300	11/14 NE	11/14 NE	13/17 N	13/17 NE	15/20 NE	15/19 NE	16/21 NE
900	7/8 NE	8/10 NE	8/12 NE	11/14 NE	12/16 NE	11/14 NE	13/17 NE
600	7/9 NE	8/10 N	7/10 N	9/13 NE	12/16 NE	12/16 NE	14/18 NE
300	4/6 NE	4/6 N	5/7 N	5/8 N	8/15 NE	8/14 N	8/13 NE
Glen	1/2 NE	1/3 N	2/4 NW	2/5 NE	8/16 NE	9/20 NE	9/19 NE

Height (m)	Temperature / Feels Like (°C)						
1300	15/13	15/13	14/12	14/12	14/12	14/11	13/10
900	15/14	16/15	18/16	18/16	16/14	14/12	12/10
600	16/15	17/16	18/17	20/18	19/17	16/14	15/12
300	16/16	17/17	20/21	23/23	21/20	18/17	16/15
Glen	13/14	19/20	23/24	25/26	22/22	18/17	16/15
Freezing Level*	3400m	3300m	3100m	3200m	3200m	3200m	3100m

**Level above which ground is expected to be frozen/snow is expected to settle.*

Met Office Aberdeen Meteorologist's View
Very warm, especially in the glens. Many smaller watercourses likely to be dry.

Forecast for Thursday 26 Aug 2021
Weather: Dry and mostly clear through the early hours, perhaps some patchy low cloud across the Trossachs. Then a dry warm and mostly sunny day, although some low cloud likely across southern Argyll and over Arran in the morning, dispersing in the afternoon. A little cooler and less humid than previous days. Mostly clear skies in the evening.

Maximum wind: Northeast 10 mph, gusting 15-20 mph.

Chance of cloud free mountain/hill tops above 800m: Generally 90%, but 60% in the south during the morning.

Visibility: Very good outside of any low cloud. Cloud mainly above around 500-600m across southern Arran, Argyll and the Trossachs early mornings. Cloud lifting to around 700m before breaking up late morning.

Temperature: **Glens:** Plus 11 Celsius rising to 24 Celsius.
At 800m: Plus 12 or 13 Celsius.
Freezing level: Above the summits.

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